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## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

### ANOTHER BRITISH BOXING DEFEAT.

Jimmy Wilde Beaten by American.

London, January 13. At the Albert Hall, a contest, fixed for 20 rounds, took place between Jimmy Wilde, the World's Flyweight Champion, and Peter Herman (American Bantamweight).

In the seventh round, the referee stopped the fight in Herman's favour.

### FALL OF FRENCH GOVERNMENT.

#### Some of the Causes Explained.

London, January 12. The overthrow of the Leygues Government is ascribable to a variety of causes. It was always regarded as a sort of buffer between two strong men, M. Millerand and M. Brind, whose accession to the Premiership was regarded as a certainty after M. Millerand's election as President. The latter, however, decided otherwise. Thus some bitterness has always remained.

Moreover, M. Leygues was condemned as being too acquiescent in the British standpoint and insufficiently insistent for the interests of France, especially concerning the strict execution of the Treaty of Versailles.

The majority in the Chamber is very dissatisfied at the German postponements and excuses, and looks to reparations in money to repair French finances, which have been gravely disorganized. Hence the latent feeling against M. Leygues reached a boiling point.

Future experience must decide whether a new Cabinet, with a so-called strong and firm policy, will promote or detract from the Anglo-French Entente.

#### German Hopes and Fears.

Berlin, January 12. The hopes and fears of Germany are reflected in the comments on the fall of the French Government, which is being keenly discussed by the papers as betokening a possible new phase in French post-war policy.

The reactionary organs opine that the Chamber wants a stronger man than M. Leygues to tackle Britain and Italy on the question of German disarmament and they expect a harsher policy towards Germany, but the Socialist organs believe that France's financial difficulties will compel her to approach Germany with a view to an economic and ultimately a political understanding.

#### The Chamber's Vote.

Paris, January 11. The Chamber repelled by 463 votes to 135 the postponement of interpellations on general politics, requested by M. Leygues, whereupon the Ministers quit the Chamber.—*Hans.*

#### Resignation Accepted.

Paris, January 11. M. Leygues gave President Millerand the collective resignation of the Cabinet, which the President accepted.—*Hans.*

#### The Re-opening of Parliament.

Paris, January 11. Parliament was re-opened to-day by speeches by the two dozen. M. Siefried, doyen of the Chamber, expressed his trust in France's future and said the French economic situation will be soon re-established by rapid exportations and augmentation. He exposed the Republican platform for ameliorating the moral and material situation of the workers and declared finally that France should abandon the class struggle.

M. Denis, the Senate's doyen, declared that the French Army should be strong so as to oblige Germany to execute the Peace-Treaty. He said France would not stay alone. Her friends, Englishmen and Americans, were not indifferent to the dangers threatening world civilization. M. Denis concluded by asserting his unshakable faith in the future of the League of Nations.

The Chamber re-elected as President M. Raoul Peret and the same four Vice-Presidents.—*Hans.*

#### DOVER BY-ELECTION.

#### "Anti-Waste" Candidate Returned.

London, January 12. The by-election at Dover resulted as follows:—  
Sir Thomas Polson (Independent) ... 13,947  
Mr. Astor (Conservative) ... 10,817.  
Sir Thomas Polson was an "anti-waste" candidate, concentrating his efforts on attacking the Government's alleged extravagance.

#### BRITAIN'S NATIONAL DEBT.

#### How it has Steadily Grown.

London, January 12. A White Paper gives particulars of the National Debt for every year since 1875, when it was £76,000,000. Thereafter it declined to £628,000,000 in 1900 and rose reaching £770,000,000 in 1904. It decreased in 1905, continuing to decrease till the opening of the war. The figures for 1921 are £7,811,000,000.

#### TEST TENNIS.

#### Results of Australia v. America Match.

Melbourne, January 12. In a tennis test match between Australia and the United States, Tilden (America) beat Hawkes by 6/3, 6/3, whilst Washburn (America) beat Patterson by 7/5, 6/3.

Brookes and O'Hare Wood (Australia) beat Tilden and Johnston by 6/4, 7/5, 6/3.

Hardy, the American captain, declared that the doubles event was the greatest game ever played in the world.

Tilden said he was most grateful that they did not meet O'Hare Wood and Brookes in the Davis Cup.

## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

### FRENCH CONFEDERATION OF LABOUR.

#### Dissolved and Leaders Fined.

Paris, January 12.

The Court has ordered the property of the Confederation of Labour to be liquidated.

Later.

The Correctional Court, after a protracted trial, dissolved the General Confederation of Labour and imposed on M. Jouhaux and four other leaders a joint fine of a hundred francs and the payment of costs.

The prosecution was initiated by M. Millerand's Government on account of the Confederation's activities during the railway strike last May in calling sympathetic strikes in industries essential to the country's life.

#### Decision to be Challenged.

Later.

The General Confederation of Labour is asthast at the Court's sentence and has issued a manifesto of its intention to challenge the decision. It violently attacks the Government and vehemently asserts that Labour will never agree to dissolution.

### LEAGUE OF NATIONS BIRTHDAY.

#### Messages from King and Premier.

London, January 12.

The first birthday of the League of Nations was impressively celebrated at the Albert Hall yesterday. There was a full attendance of foreign and Dominion Governments' representatives, including Siam. The principal speakers were Viscount Grey, Lord Robert Cecil and Mr. George Barnes, M.P.

H. M. the King telephoned that there was every reason to be thankful at the work accomplished during the first year of the League and appealed to the women of the British Empire to support the organisation, the high ideals of which were the only guarantee to future generations against desolating war.

The Premier, in the course of a message, said the League embodied the deepest hopes of mankind. Its machinery had made a good start and its subsequent success depended upon the nations represented insisting on fair, open dealing with one another.

Lord Robert Cecil said while the League had made mistakes and missed opportunities, there were still many difficulties to overcome. Anyone who said it had done nothing lied. It had already grown in size, organisation, reputation and authority. Wherever tested it was found adequate for the purpose for which it was devised.

### A GLUT OF COAL.

#### Fixed Export Prices Abandoned.

London, January 12.

Owing to a glut of coal stocks, Scottish coal masters have agreed to abandon fixed prices for exporting coal and to transact future business on pre-war competitive lines. There is more coal now being produced in Scotland than can be marketed. The railway sidings are congested with unawanted loaded wagons.

The industrial demand has diminished one-third as steel works are running to three-fourths capacity, while the disturbed condition of Ireland has curtailed the export to Ireland.

Owing to the shipping slump, sixty vessels have been indefinitely laid up on the Tyne side and dozens of others have left foreign ports for a like purpose. Many others are lying in the river awaiting cargoes.

It is stated that coal can now be shipped and delivered to Norway from Australia a pound per ton cheaper than from England.

### IRISH AFFAIRS.

#### Sixty Prisoners Sentenced.

London, January 12.

Sixty prisoners captured at the so-called dance at Bruff, have been sentenced by Court Martial to ten years' penal servitude, each of which five years have been remitted.

### THE GREEK OPERATIONS.

London, January 12.

Reuter has learned from the Greek Legation that the Greek Government has received a wireless from Smyrna to the effect that the Greek forces are vigorously advancing and have so far dispersed three enemy divisions whilst one Nationalist General has been taken prisoner.

### BRITISH RAILWAYMEN AND SHORT TIME.

London, January 12.

The Executive of the National Union of Railwaymen has rejected the Government's short-time proposals.

### TO-DAY'S CHINESE TELEGRAMS.

Peking, January 13.

Luk Yew-kwong, son of Luk Wing-ting, has returned to Peking after consulting with Tso Kwan in Faoing and is now preparing to go to Fentong to see Chang Jok-lin.

It is reported that Luk Yew-kwong has made five proposals to Tso Kwan—1. Abolition of the post of Territory Defence Commissioner of Kwangsi; 2. the taking of strict precautions against the Provinces of Kwangtung, Hunan, Yunnan and Kansu; 3. the borrowing of foreign loans to meet military expenses in Kwangsi; 4. supply of ammunition to Kwangsi from the Central Government; 5. the military forces of Kwangsi to be backed up by that of both Chih and Fentong provinces. It is said that Tso has agreed to all conditions except the third.

Shanghai, January 13.

The soldiers in Changsha have again caused trouble, and railway traffic is again interrupted.

An arrangement has been concluded between Wong Chin-yen, Tuchun of Hupeh, and Chao Hing-tab, Tuchun of Hunan, to the effect that all the military forces in Hunan be nominally under the former's control as he is the Inspector of the two Provinces, but the expenses will be met by the Peking Government. Further, that the independence of Hunan must be immediately cancelled. These terms have been signed and sent to Peking.

(Other Early and Special Telegrams on Page 1.)

## KWANGTUNG MINING CONCESSION.

#### Given to Two Parties?

The *Canton Times* of to-day publishes the following:

An agreement made the 25th day of October, 1918, between Charles Edward Richardson, of Hongkong, Merchant, of the first part, the Military Governor of the Province of Kwangtung, China, of the second part, the Commissioner of Finance of the Province of Kwangtung, of the third part, and the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs of the Province of Kwangtung, of the fourth part;

whereas the said Commissioner of Finance has applied to the said Charles Edward Richardson for a loan of dollars one hundred thousand and (100,000) Hongkong currency, for the general purpose of the provincial government and the said Charles Edward Richardson has agreed to lend the said sum on the terms and conditions herein-after set forth, and whereas the said Military Governor has sanctioned the said loan and has agreed to be responsible for its repayment, and whereas the said Charles Edward Richardson has agreed to guarantee the repayment, now these presents witness as follows:—

1. The said Charles Edward Richardson shall immediately upon the signing and sealing of this agreement pay to the said Charles Edward Richardson the sum of dollars one hundred thousand and (100,000) Hongkong currency for the period of one year according to the calendar of the Republic of China.

2. The said sum of one hundred dollars shall be repaid in full nine hundred and nineteen; if the whole or any part of the said sum is not fully repaid on the due date, the amount remaining unpaid shall bear interest at the rate of ten per centum per annum in advance.

3. As security for the repayment of the said loan and interest, the said Commissioner of Finance (with the authority and consent of the said Military Governor) hereby pledges and hypothecates in the said Charles Edward Richardson the whole of the Revenue and Income of that District of Hainan, Lukfung, Waiping and Heungsan and the said Commissioner (with the like authority and consent) hereby authorizes the said Charles Edward Richardson in the event of default being made in the repayment of the said loan and interest or of any part thereof to enter into, seize and take possession of the said Revenue and collect same until the said loan and interest are fully paid with all expenses actually in the collection thereof.

5. In the consideration of the above loan the Military Governor and Commissioner of Finance hereby agree to grant to the said Charles Edward Richardson the right to search for prospect and work in accordance with the mining laws and regulations of China as existing at the present time all mines, metals and minerals which may hereafter be discovered or opened in upon or under any public or government land in any part of the province of Kwangtung except in the case of those mines metals and minerals which have already been discovered or opened or worked by other people prior to Mr. Richardson's application for the same.

6. In further consideration of the said loan the said Military Governor and the said Commissioner of Finance and Foreign Affairs do hereby each for himself in his personal and in his official capacity, and each of his successors in office hereby covenant and agree with the said Charles Edward Richardson that all the terms and conditions of this agreement shall be duly and faithfully carried out.

In witness thereof, the said Charles Edward Richardson has hereunto set his hand and seal and the said Military Governor and the said Commissioner of Finance and Foreign Affairs have hereunto set their respective

## KOWLOON ISOLATED.

#### No 'Phone Communication With Hongkong.

Telephonic communication between Hongkong and Kowloon has been interrupted for two days now.

It appears that the underground cable on the Praya East is damaged, and the defect was not observed till yesterday. The first visible signs came at noon yesterday and by the afternoon it had developed rapidly, making communication by telephone impossible.

The European staff on construction work and Chinese members of the staff worked the whole of last night on the job, and it is hoped that connection with Kowloon will be re-established at about 4 p.m. to-day.

### ASSAULT CASE.

#### Filipinos Summoned by Chinese Woman.

A Filipino, named Calve, and his wife, were charged by a Chinese woman with assault this morning, before Mr. R. E. Lindsell.

The Filipino woman said that the complainant had on several occasions played the part of a fearsome dropper on her, and had been caught at the door of her bedroom a number of times. On the last occasion the complainant assaulted her son, a child just over one year of age, and she (the defendant) had occasion to inflict a blow on the complainant's face with a slipper.

The complainant stated that she was assaulted by a young boy belonging to the defendant's family. She was employed by another master, who lived in the same house as the defendant.

The case was remanded until this afternoon to enable the defendant to take out a cross-summons against the complainant.

### MUKDEN GIRL STUDENTS ATTACKED BY POLICE.

It is reported in a Mukden dispatch that 80 students of the Chinese Girls' Normal School in that city came into collision with a party of policemen, and a tussle ensued between them. The incident occurred when the students were going to attend a conference of anti-Japanese students, in defiance of the prohibition of their teachers. Their misbehaviour called for a severe reproof from the Director of the Educational Department of the local province.

## BRANDY REMOVED.

#### Chinese Retailer's Offence.

A summons for the removal of 34 cases of brandy from a bonded warehouse without a permit and, alternately, with being in possession of the consignment without having paid the prescribed duties, was this morning brought against a Chinese by the Imports and Exports Department, and heard before Mr. G. N. Orme.

The defendant admitted to removing the cases from the warehouse but said nothing in regard to the extraction thereof when they reached his shop.

Mr. N. L. Smith, of the Imports and Exports Department, said that under the regulations the defendant was required to move the cases straight from the bonded warehouse to the ship, instead of which he removed them into his own shop without the cognizance of the Department, and extracted therefrom a number of bottles. The two charges were, more or less alternative ones, and he would ask for the confiscation of the brandy. Being a retail dealer, and doing quite a large business in his way the defendant was in a position to repeat his offence frequently without detection.

The defendant said that the fault lay with his workmen, who were ignorant of the regulations. In reply to the Magistrate, a Revenue Officer said that similar offences had occurred very often, but not so where the bottles were extracted from the cases.



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## COMMERCIAL NEWS.

## BELGIAN COAL.

Belgium is reported turning out coal at her present rate.

## MOTOR LORRIES IN JAVA.

Motor lorries are being substituted for bullock carts on the tea plantations of Java.

## MEXICO OIL SHIPMENTS.

Shipments of oil from Mexico have doubled during the last twelve months.

## PRODUCTION OF FORD CARS.

During the working year ended July 31 last, the Ford works produced nearly a million motor-cars.

## BRIDGE OVER SYDNEY HARBOUR.

It is proposed to construct a bridge over Sydney harbour. The cost will be over five millions sterling.

## SHANGHAI-MINGHONG MOTOR TRACKS.

It is stated that automobile tracks are to be built between Shanghai and Minghong.

## AMERICAN MACHINERY FOR CHINESE MILLS.

Most of the new cotton mills being constructed in China are having American machinery installed.

## FOREIGN TRADE OF JAPAN.

According to an official report of the Department of Finance the excess of imports of the foreign of Japan up to the 25th December shows Yen 301,818,000.

## ROLLS ROYCE FACTORY AT FULL PRESSURE.

The Rolls-Royce factory at Derby is running at full capacity and cannot take orders for delivery prior to April, 1922.

## CANADIAN AGENCIES.

Large Canadian firms are protesting against the practice of some British firms who place their Canadian agencies for the Dominion in the hands of New York houses.

## JAPANESE DYES.

Japanese manufacturers are producing black and methylviolic dyes of good quality, but in other colours they cannot compete with imported dyes, states *Shipping and Engineering*.

## PHILIPPINE OIL TANKS.

The A.P.C. is erecting at Cebu (P. I.) two fuel-oil tank-containers with a capacity of about 1,500 tons each, and a large petroleum depot at the port. They are situated on a reef at the south entrance to the harbour, and are expected to be completed in April, 1921.

## DUTCH INVESTMENTS IN CHINA.

K'ien interest is being shown in the Netherlands and Netherlands Indies in regard to investments of capital in China for industrial and engineering enterprises. A Dutch syndicate has lately been organized, at the head of which is Mr. de Jea, manager of the company that built the harbour of Chefoo. The syndicate has an office at Peking.

## PRICE OF GOODS IN TOKYO.

A Tokyo report states:—"The Department of Agriculture and Commerce has announced that the percentage of the average of all the prices of goods in Tokyo in the month of November was 93 per cent. compared with that in the month of October, and 82 per cent. compared with that in August, and shows a tendency of prices declining in the market in Tokyo."

## GERMAN EXPORT PROSPECTS.

Germany's prospects as exporter of metal building material goods, and hardware have been greatly furthered by the success with which the Iron Industry Union, the official compulsory syndicate for pig iron and heavy steel goods has succeeded in cutting down prices. The production cost of iron has of late not increased, and in some branches has fallen. Owing to this, it was twice possible during the summer to reduce heavily pig iron and steel prices, and from November I last, for a third time, prices, with the exception of pig iron, were heavily reduced.

## THE SPIRIT OF FRATERNITY.

"So much I would say," his Highness continued, "of the impression the Assembly itself has made on me as I come fresh to it. As for the League as a whole, I am convinced it is an instrument capable of achieving a great work in the world—such work, indeed, as the world has never yet seen."

## THE MACHINERY, OF COURSE,

will have to be carefully watched, and the relative duties of the Assembly, Council and Secretariat clearly defined and controlled in practice. The organization of the Secretariat is as yet immature, and it is of vital importance that the danger of the creation of a bureaucracy be avoided."

## APPROACHING THE LEAGUE

particularly from the standpoint of an Indian statesman, Prince Ranjitsingh pointed out that the spirit of the League of Nations was in full consonance with the spirit of the East. The East, he said, "believes in harmony and goodwill between all peoples, and has a strong sense of human fraternity, of which the more material West has perhaps in some degree lost sight. The East—and let it never be forgotten that the population of India, Japan and China alone means half the human race—is capable of making an enormous contribution to the development of the League."

## "But so far," the Jam Sahab

pointed out, "the League of Nations has completely failed to make its existence and its purpose known either in the East or in the West. The most cursory acquaintance with the contemporary Press is sufficient demonstration of that. Propaganda of the right kind both by the Press and otherwise is essential if the real nature and objects of the League are to be rightly understood. It will be a matter for the profoundest regret if the Press

## "RANJI" AS STATESMAN.

## Famous Cricketer on the League of Nations.

There are some delegates to the League of Nations Assembly whose views on the League and its future are known in advance. There are others—and their opinions are in many ways the better worth discovering—who bring to Geneva fresh and unprejudiced minds, prepared to be impressed by things as they see them, writes Mr. H. Wilson Harris.

Among the latter no one has expressed judgments more suggestive or instructive than the member of the Indian Delegation who, though every official document ever issued describes him as Lieutenant Maharajah Shri Sir Ranjitsingh Vibhaji (the Jam Sahab of Nawangar), G. B. E., K.C.S.I., will never be known to the British public as anything but "Ranji." It might be better, by the way, for England as well as for India, if the public would learn to take this notable man as seriously as they take other figures known only in connection with serious pursuits.

## STATESMAN FIRST.

A kind of impression appears to have got about that India is represented at the League Assembly first and foremost by international cricketers. Nothing could be further from the truth. The Jam Sahab is before all else a statesman. One of the ruling princes of India, who between them control more than 70,000,000 inhabitants, he is placed by Englishmen intimately acquainted with his administration among the dozen most progressive, most enlightened and most statesmanlike men in the Indian Empire. And it is impossible to hear the Jam Sahab talk for ten minutes without being convinced that that judgment is sound.

The impression made by the League on a mind of that order, the more so since it is a mind familiar equally with the processes of Oriental and of Western politics, has an interest particularly its own, and I count myself fortunate to be able to transmit the substance of a full and considered statement made by his Highness to a small private gathering here in Geneva.

"I have been deeply impressed," said the Jam Sahab, "by the extraordinary ability displayed by the Assembly, and not less so the evidence it has continually given of character and of sincerity. When all the adverse conditions, notably, of course, the fact that delegates have come from the ends of the earth with no previous experience of any gathering of that kind, the promise of efficiency is remarkably.

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## GOODWILL IN INDUSTRY.

## Dr. Macnamara's Hope in "Whitleyism."

An appeal for confidence and goodwill in industry was made by Dr. Macnamara, Minister of Labour, when he distributed the prizes to the students of the Loughborough Technical College, Leicestershire, recently.

There was at the present moment, he said every need for well-directed organisation, energy and enterprise. In the years immediately to come, the world must see the greatest reconstruction effort that history had ever known. Everything depended on the extent to which they brought to their opportunities prompt and ready organisation, initiative, adaptability, resourcefulness, and the spirit of co-operation, goodwill and comradeship. For the time being they had run into the heavy weather of industrial depression and unemployment. It was, naturally, giving grave concern, but the sky would, in due course, clear, and great possibilities would be before them.

The success of industrial undertakings depended, like everything else, on the relationships between the parties. If employers and employed proceeded on the "Pull Devil, pull Baker" principle, success was impossible. Happily in more cases than perhaps was realized, the relationships between employers and employed were on the far different basis of mutual goodwill and mutual confidence and trust.

There were mischievously-minded people who insisted that the interests of the employer and the employed could never be other than antagonistic, but the successful application of the spirit of "Whitleyism" in industry was slowly but surely establishing the contrary.

There were now 63 joint industrial councils, with district associated councils and committees, together with 15 interim industrial reconstruction committees, covering in all some 31½ millions of workpeople, actively engaged in the effort to secure settlements by agreement not merely on questions of wages and hours, but on many other questions affecting the comfort, safety, and welfare of the working people.

By the agency of these industrial councils, progressive improvement in the conditions of industry was being secured, with minimum of irritation and interruption, and with enduring results, to a far greater extent than was realized by anybody outside the Ministry of Labour.

## WHAT IS NEEDED NOW.

It is easy enough," the Prince added, in an arresting passage, "to damn with faint praise: to be willing to wound and yet afraid to strike. The Press can make the League of Nations, for the power of the Press, if it would only realize it, is an irresistible power. I would make an appeal to the Press to use that giant power worthily. The old world crushed Christ. Will the new world crucify the spirit of Christ, the spirit of all great teachers, that already dwells, latent but potential, in the League of Nations? It is for the Press to answer that question. No one else can.

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## BAD PICKLES.

## OBITUARY.

**Sequel to a Naval Sale.**

A large quantity of pickles, which had been condemned as unfit for human consumption, formed the subject of two charges preferred against two Chinese at the Magistracy this morning.

On the 15th November last, 30,000 bottles of pickles, which formed part of the naval stores, were condemned as unfit for human consumption, and tenders were invited by the Naval Victualling Officer for the purchase of the empty bottles and the 1,300 wooden cases in which these bottles were packed. The conditions of the sale required that the contents of the bottles, after the latter had been purchased, be dumped at a prescribed spot at sea, in the presence of representative of the Victualling Department, and that the bottles themselves, after having been cleansed, were to be produced for his inspection one month after the date of purchase.

Owing to the unavoidable absence of a representative, a fact which from carelessness, was fully taken advantage of by the purchaser, Sam Yick, the pickles were not dumped as stipulated, but were brought into his shop and left intact in the bottles when these were sold to Kum Yick, a shrimp sauce dealer, the intention of the latter, as stated by Mr. J. H. Gardiner at the Police Court to-day, being to use only the empty bottles for the purpose of refilling them with shrimp sauce.

On the 26th December last, the Victualling Officer happened to be proceeding along the Kowloon City Road when he saw two trucks being drawn along, loaded with a number of cases containing what he recognised as the bottles of pickles which he had believed were at the bottom of the sea. The consequence of this discovery was that he communicated with Acting Inspector Caygill, of the Yau Ma Tei Police Station, who undertook investigations which led to the present summonses being heard against Sam Yick for selling the pickles, and against Yick, who bought them from Sam Yick, for being in possession.

Mr. Gardiner announced to Mr. Orme that he appeared for the first defendant, Kum Yick, and Mr. A. E. Hall, on his part, stated that he represented the other defendant.

The Naval Victualling Officer, having deposited to the conditions of the purchase of the pickles, his subsequent discovery that they had not been complied with, Mr. Gardiner asked:—The dumping was to be done in the presence of one of your officers?

Witness:—Yes, at the prescribed dumping place, but he was not present.

Mr. Gardiner:—Why was he not present?—The reason was that at the time of dumping I had no man to spare.

Mr. Gardiner:—The Navy was running short, wasn't it?—(Laughter).

Mr. Gardiner:—This could have been avoided if he were present?—Apparently yes.

In a somewhat frivolous strain Mr. Hall asked the witness:—You sold these condemned pickles to my man, Sam Yick?

Quite oblivious to the drift of the question, the witness replied:—Yes.

In selling those pickles, do you realise that you were infringing the law as set down in this section of the Ordinance?—(Laughter).

The witness corr ced himself by stating that under these circumstances the purchaser had no recourse, when buying those bottles, but to take along their contents also, for subsequent dumping.

Dr. Woodman, who made an examination of the pickles when they were discovered lying in Kum Yick's shop, stated that the condition of the pickles certainly had not improved since they were first examined and condemned by the Naval Victualling Department.

Mr. Gardiner stated that his defence which was very simple, would be to the effect that his client, Kum Yick, had paid \$119 for the bottles, had experienced great trouble in emptying them in order to refill them afterwards with "nice wholesome shrimp sauce," and had made no attempt to expose the pickles for sale.

His Worship:—It is risky to leave them exposed when they could be sold by wicked people.

Mr. Gardiner:—I don't think there are many wicked people in Kowloon City. (Laughter.)

Mr. Gardiner, continuing, said that his client bought 239 bottles from Sam Yick. There had been no intention of using the

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By Order of the Board of Directors.

MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1921.

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Hongkong, 12th January, 1921.

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to the General Manager.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1921.

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Hongkong, 12th January, 1921.

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By Lieut-Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O. Administrative Commandant.

Hongkong.

Friday, 14th January, 1921.

1. Parades.—Parades for Week Ending 22nd January will be held in accordance with Programme of Work.

2. Musketry.—No. 1. Platoon will fire PART II. Annual Musketry Course on Saturday, 22nd, at 2.30 p.m. and Sunday, 23rd January, at 10. a.m. on King's Park Range.

Officer for duty: 2nd Lieut. T. P. M. Bevan, M.C.

ORDERS FOR ENGINEER COMPANY.

3. D. E. L. Practice Runs. There will be Defence Electric Light Practice Runs at Belcher's, with instruction classes for recruits, on Fridays, January 21st and 28th at 5.30 p.m.

Members of the Engineer Company are reminded that they have to do four Infantry Drills during the season, and that they may attend any of the parades held at Headquarters on Monday evenings.

ORDERS FOR MOUNTED INFANTRY SECTION.

4. Parade.—Parade at Polo Ground, Causeway Bay on Wednesday, 19th January, at 5.15 p.m. Uniform optional.

ORDERS FOR CADET COMPANY.

5. Parades.—The Company will parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, 18th instant, at 5.30 p.m. Dress: Drill Order.

Shooting Competition.—Members wishing to take part in the Shooting Competition on 29th instant will give their names to Sgt. Lyon.

Carbines.—Members who have not used their Carbines on the Range will return same to Headquarters with their name and rank attached, as soon as possible.

G. F. E. RAPSON, Bt-Major.

Adjutant, H. V. D. Corps.

NOTICES

1. King's Park Range is allotted to No. 5 Platoon for Practice from 4.00 p.m. on Monday, 17th and Wednesday, 19th instant.

2. Lecture.—A Lecture Subject (The Chinese Army in the South) will be given by Lieut-Colonel R. M. CHOSSE, General Staff, at Headquarters on Friday, 21st at 5.30 p.m. Members who wish to attend are invited to bring friends.

3. Rifle Meeting.—Members are invited that Entries for forthcoming Rifle Meeting close tomorrow Saturday, 15th instant.

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Hongkong, 12th January, 1921.

## WORLD WIDE SPORT.

Spain has joined France, Italy, and Holland in claims for the Olympic Games of 1924.

It is stated that Jimmy Wilde is to receive a sum of £10,000 for his two fights with Herman and Sharkey.

Glamorgan are to make formal application to be admitted to the first-class cricket countries. They have now the necessary qualifications.

Mr. John Meredith, capped as a forward for Wales in 1888 and 1890, has died at Swansea at the age of 66. He was one of the best forwards in Wales in his day.

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The Territorial Athletic Championships will be revived and the following championships instituted: Fooball (Association and Rugby), boxing, crosscountry running, athletics, swimming, hockey, and fencing.

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## Death.

HIGGINBOTHAM.—At Sourabaya, on the 12th inst., Charles J. Higginbotham (of John D. Hutchinson & Co.)

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1921.

## "WHEN LABOUR RULES."

This is the title of a volume by Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P., the railwaymen's leader. Mr. Thomas, a Privy Councillor, is generally voted (notwithstanding an occasional outburst, perhaps a concession to the "advanced" wing of Labour) to be one of the moderate men of the democratic movement, and, since even Cabinet Ministers have alluded to the possibility of a Labour Government, Mr. Thomas' proposals merit some consideration. Such a work as this, in contrast to treatises upon abstract Socialistic theories, has a certain practical interest, because it throws some light, if the fays are only dim, upon the manner in which Labour legislators propose to handle concrete problems when the responsibility is upon their own shoulders.

The first question with which the author deals is the Constitution, and Mr. Thomas unhesitatingly accepts himself a Monarchist. He affirms that as the King has proved himself an essentially constitutional monarch the question of Republic versus Monarchy will not arise. Mr. Thomas pays a nod tribute to the Prince of Wales, so that it may be assumed that the Prince's succession would also be supported by Labour. This is satisfactory to supporters of Monarchism, as far as it goes, but it will be noted that Mr. Thomas bases his attitude merely upon personality, not principle. Mr. Thomas says, however, that whilst the Labour party recognises the wisdom of having an hereditary monarch, it is opposed to an hereditary Upper Chamber. At the same time, it is admitted that diverse views are held in the Labour party regarding the value of a Second Chamber. Mr. Thomas credits the House of Lords, and not the Commons, with being the guardian of popular interests during the war, and he consequently favours a Second Chamber, on condition that it should not be hereditary. In regard to home administration, when Labour rules, Mr. Thomas says that land, the mines, the railways, canals, shipping, and supply of milk and bread would all be under the absolute direction of the State. Mr. Thomas replies to the objections usually made to Government control, which he says, would be totally different from war control. He does not explain how or on what terms the Government would obtain possession of what is at present private property. Originally the Socialist programme was simple confiscation; the later view has inclined towards "fair market value." Mr. Thomas does not at purchase. He is opposed to Protection. He thinks there should be a limit to profits, but does not suggest how businesses which make large profits one year, followed by a loss the next, could be conducted. In regard to housing and health questions the policy outlined by Mr. Thomas is pretty much on the Government's lines, but goes somewhat farther. Provisions of facilities for poor scholars so as to extend education to the University is contemplated.

It has been declared that the Labour party would not be able to handle foreign policy. Mr. Thomas retorts that the present parties have not made a very brilliant show. He is in favour, of course, of "open diplomacy." On the question of Colonial policy we find Mr.

Thomas more rational than the views of some Labour members would lead one to expect. Broadly his attitude is eventual complete self-government within the Empire for all British possessions. Mr. Thomas proposes Dominion Home Rule for Ireland, with local option for Ulster. He is opposed to an Irish Republic, but he does not make it clear what would be the attitude of a Labour Government in the event of the majority of the Irish people insisting on complete independence. It is pertinent to remember that the Labour Party has lately declared for the concession of a Republic (Mr. Thomas' book was probably written previously). Mr. Thomas disapproves of the Excess Profits Tax, which he agrees with capitalists is calculated to restrict enterprise, but he would impose a capital levy, which capitalists regard as even worse. Needless to say the Labour leader's programme bristles with debatable points, but on the whole shows a saner outlook than might have been expected. It will be interesting to see how his fellow democrats view it.

## NOTES &amp; COMMENTS.

## The Volunteers &amp; Election.

Members of the Volunteer Corps will have read with a good deal of interest the remarks of the now General Officer Commanding on the question of the principle of electing their own officers. This privilege was granted members on the re-organisation of the Corps in the spring of last year, and it was a privilege that was gladly exercised and thought very highly of. It was not then considered to conflict in any way with the maintaining of discipline or the securing of efficiency. It was even thought that it would help in the latter regard. But the War Office has taken objection to the principle and so the Ordinance has now been amended to remove the privilege. The Hon. Mr. Pollock, even to the fore in safeguarding public privileges, rightly asked why it had been considered necessary to change the original ordinance in this regard, and in defence of the War Office's opinion H. E. the General Officer Commanding made quite an interesting speech. There will, we think, be very few in fact inclined to question the wisdom of his viewpoint and few who will seriously regret the passing of this very shareholder concession. It was undoubtedly democratic and possibly harmless enough, but it did contain a principle that fundamentally conflicts with the preservation of discipline. Soldiers and volunteers are those whose duty it is to obey, and to give them the power of compelling their own officers is, in principle, to give them the power of compelling what their officers should do. If one looks at the matter as of the Volunteers were in active service one can get a better idea how subversive to discipline the privilege might operate. In legislating one has to legislate for contingencies as well as for everyday affairs, and it is just as well that the privilege has been removed. In a former comment on this matter we expressed the hope that efficiency and suitability would be made the sole justification for future appointments or promotions and we would like to repeat that. So long as the members of the Volunteer Defence Corps are well officered there will be no complaints but that in repetition of the war-time experience the popularity of the Corps will undoubtedly suffer. There is everything to be gained by plain speaking. At present the Corps is part of its officers and if, when appointments are made, men of the same stamp and efficiency are chosen, the officers can count on the loyalty and keen support of the rank and file.

## An All-Women Enterprise.

It is the man to speak of the man's point of view and the woman's point of view as two distinct and as yet opposing views. The progress of the female movement has prompted a London contingent to initiate an inquiry into just what is the woman's point of view, and a London correspondent has written: "What struck me in this whole-dress expression of opinion is that while the woman's view is supposed to be something distinct and well-marked, no two women have the same idea of it. (The lady) Principal of Newnham, which may be regarded as the general headquarters of higher education among the fair sex, goes so far as to assert, in effect, that the "woman's view" is a myth—in short, that woman's purposes are practically the same as man's. There is a look of this kind about an enterprise which has been started in the Old Country: it is an all-women factory, every branch of the concern being in female hands. Our sisters rendered unexpected aid during the war, and it will be of interest to observe the result

of this experiment, apparently undertaken mostly by women who have to earn a livelihood.

## CRICKET.

## Indian R.C. v. H.M.S. Ambrose.

In the above match, to take place on Saturday the 15th inst., on the L.R.C. ground, the following will represent the Indians:—A. H. Runjahn, A. El Arculli, S. H. Ismail, W. H. Abbas, A. A. Runjahn, S. A. Ismail, D. Weerapulli, N. M. Bux, K. Khan, S. D. Ismail and D. Runjahn.

## DAY BY DAY.

HAPPINESS PRODUCES HAPPINESS ENJOYMENT MAY BE CULTIVATED, AND IS, AFTER ALL, LARGELY A CONDITION OF HABIT.—Lillian Whiting.

Yesterday's health return shows two non-fatal cases of diphtheria—one British and one Portuguese.

Certain members of the Chinese community are giving a dinner at the Kam Ling Hotel on Tuesday next in honour of the Hon. Mr. W. Chatham, C. M. G.

We have received from the Union Trading Company, sole agents in Hongkong and South China for the National Benefit Assurance Co., Ltd., of London, two calendars issued by the latter Company.

A big consignment of opium, valued at \$8,000, was seized by the Police on board a sampan in Causeway Bay yesterday. One Chinese has been arrested, and will be charged before the Magistrate next week.

Yesterday at the Marine Court a coolie was charged before Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N., with being on board the Amakusa Maru without the permission of the officer. He was fined \$10, which was paid by a philanthropic Chinese gentleman.

Professor Sklarevski, the famous pianist, is giving another recital at the City Hall this evening at 8.30 p.m. He will also appear here on the 18th, whilst on the 19th he is giving a recital in Canton and he will play at Macao on the 22nd and 23rd instant.

A call from Third Street brought out the firemen at 6.30 last evening, only to discover on arrival that the outbreak, which was caused by the fusing of electric wires, had been extinguished by the Police and the inmates with the inflicting of very little damage.

The Secretariat of the Administrative Council of the Military Government in Canton has issued an official denial that the Military Government is negotiating for the sale of Hainan to a certain foreign country, adding that no territory of the Republic of China may be sold contrary to law. The Secretariat believes that this rumour must have been created by unscrupulous persons in Shanghai and Peking to cause disaffection among the people.

The local organizers of the China Relief Funds are acquiring some original ideas in their campaign of publicity. We noticed that two motor cars, one to draw general attention to the banners displayed on them, and the other containing a number of refugees dressed respectively in sacks, have been doing the rounds of the streets. To ensure that the attention the campaign deserves is given to it, one enterprising YMCA student at regular intervals struck a large drum in the leading car.

Four coolies were this morning charged by Inspector Kent before Mr. G. N. Orme with the theft of 1,455 lbs. of coal from a consignment ordered by the Peak Tramway Company from Messrs. Jardine Matheson on the 13th instant. It is alleged that they acted in concert, by juggling with the scales, and afterwards got Mr. Buyers of the Peak Tramways to sign the receipt without mentioning any shortage. The case was remanded on the application of Mr. A. E. Hall, who represented the first two defendants. Bail was allowed in each case.

To-morrow's Pictorial Supplement will contain, amongst other pictures, a group taken at the wedding of Mr. Harry Odell and Miss Sophie Weill; the Navy Rugby team which played the Army last week; a portrait of Professor Sklarevski, who appears at the City Hall this evening; and two pictures showing the good work done amongst the blind and poor by the Sisters of the Convent of the Immaculate Conception at Canton. Owing to unforeseen circumstances, some pictures of the Boy Scouts Rally and the group of Army Rugby footballers are not available. We hope, however, to reproduce these next Saturday.

GREATEST RIDING CITY.

## KOWLOON NOTES.

## (By "The Ferryman.")

I see that people who reside on the Peak are being reminded that if they have not applied for permission to live in the exalted regions, they are expected by law to do so. I don't suppose anybody is likely to be deported therefrom. Presumably someone has just discovered that the law has never been observed. Hence the reminder.

lest there should be any misapprehension over the matter, let me say that it is not necessary to apply for permission to reside in Kowloon. Our motto is "Lex' em all come!" Still, we hope that one day there will be a European reservation on the peninsula. For why should there be one law for the Peak and another for Kowloon?

If you want to live up on the Peak, Where folk are so rich and so sleek, You must get a "permit" (So the laws term it) Or else you'll be fined by the Peak!

But if you've no great wish to "swank" And have no ambitions to rank, Come down from the moon: You can live in Kowloon— No "permits," and no-one to thank!

Congratulations to Mr. Pollock on getting away at the bathing beach question, and on not forgetting Kowloon's claims in this connection. We're now to have a Committee to see what can be done to secure adequate facilities for sea-bathing, both on the island and the mainland.

When the Hon. Mr. Fletcher last spoke on this bathing beach question there was nothing definite in his statement excepting that the present places were likely to be lost. As to alternative provision, he was decidedly vague. Now, however, the whole matter is to be looked into, and the general hope is that something definite will be done before next summer comes round.

We're still waiting for the clock to appear on the Kowloon railway tower. I see there's a bell already installed, so it isn't to be a silent timepiece. Wonder if it'll play tunes?

Kowloon Dock Ball takes place to-night, and a happy time is promised. Everybody looks forward to this annual event, because the floor is probably the largest and finest in the Colony for dancing, whilst the hospitality of Dock folk is universally known.

Mention of dancing recalls an incident which once occurred in Hongkong. The conversation, at an afternoon tea party, turned on dancing, and one of the guests who had a great liking for the old-style dances enquired of a lady sitting near her: "Do you know the 'd'Albert'?" "No," came the reply: "do they live in Kowloon?"

Kowloon Cricket Club is shortly to commence its annual tennis tournaments, the entries for which close on the 31st instant. Some good contests are looked forward to, I hear.

Mention of tennis reminds me of the Ladies Singles Championship of the Colony, which this year is something of a farce, judging by the number of entries. It is alleged that they acted in concert, by juggling with the scales, and afterwards got Mr. Buyers of the Peak Tramways to sign the receipt without mentioning any shortage. There ought to be at least forty or fifty entries for such an event, and there probably would be if more publicity were given to the competition.

What about that motor-bus service of which we heard so much a little time ago? When's it going to start? There was a suggestion some time back in official quarters that the Government were waiting for the K.R.A.'s suggestions, but I hear these have long since been sent in. Then why the delay?

GREATEST RIDING CITY.

London was now the greatest riding city in the world, having outstripped New York, says the manager of the Underground Railways and General Omnibus Company.

## BREMEN LEAVES FOR HOME.

## Big Batch of Passengers.

With 1,110 out of her 1,500 berths occupied, the transport Bremen sailed just after noon today for England. Since her arrival in Hongkong the vessel has been refitted, and a number of the second-class cabins have been reconverted into third-class berths to accommodate the large number of military and naval ratings who are going home by her. There are, however, about 100 second-class berths left, and these, together with the first-class berths, are stated to be in sufficient number to accommodate local officers and civil servants as well as various contingents who are expected to swell the already large number of passengers at Singapore and Colombo.

The naval ratings comprise principally men who are paid off from the Carlisle, which has been recommissioned for a further period of service in China waters, and about 282 sailors from the Tamar and the submarines.

Surgeon Rear Admiral Charles S. Woodwright after a long period of service in this station is going home with his wife and amongst the officers accompanying him are Captain A. H. Walker; Engineer Commander J. E. G. Cunningham; Paymaster Commander L. R. Baker (accompanied by Mrs. Baker); Commander B. Ackworth (accompanied by Mrs. Ackworth and family); Lieutenant Commanders D. V. Hirst, Andrew Johnstone, D. S. O. and F. J. Lambert, D.S.C.; Lieutenant Commander J. H. McNair (accompanied by Mrs. McNair); Leyton-Bennett, D. V. Taylor, Ward, Casswell, W. H. D. Friedberger, Cyril Appleton, Rose and Farquharson; Acting Lieutenant T. E. Little and David F. Croft; Sub-Lieutenants A. J. S. Eastley, Avon R. Prentis and Sidney E. Johnson; Midshipman Hooper; Warrant Engineers E. A. D. Williams, John D. Irvine, Alfred Nash, Frederick Asker, and J. R. Pigozzi; Warren Telegraphists George Vince and Albert E. Withers; Shipwrights Stanley J. Goldrey, Chas. Samways, and A. S. Anderson; Boatswains Thomas Tierney, and Frederick J. Light; Commissioned Torpedo Gunner Thomas Mitchell; Torpedo Gunners Gimblett and B. Melbourne; Gunners Arthur F. Norman, C. Strong and H. Dodge; and Warrant Mechanician Charles Patch.

Mr. Orden, Chief Engineer of the Fleet Oiler Dredge, is also included in the naval contingent. Mrs. Eyes is also travelling by the same steamer. The naval contingent, which is under the command of Commander Ackworth, in addition to the officers mentioned, comprises of 238 ratings from H.M.S. Carlisle and 282 seamen from the Tamar and submarines.

The military details comprise 173 officers and men, made up as follows:—

Officers—Major G. le Huquet (Wiltz); Captains, E. H. Gray, (7th Punjab); F. N. Bourdillon, (23rd Punjab); P. P. Legg (Wiltz Regt); C. I. Cordon (22nd Punjab); and Lieut. J. Bryant (R.E.).

Troops—Royal Engineers, 4; Wilts Regt, 138; R.G.A. 24; R.A.C. 3; 2 R.M.C. 2; R.A.O.C. 1; Nurse D.C. Mallet (V.A.I.M. N.S.) and Mrs. J. Ewart (Wiltz Regt); C. I. Cordon (22nd Punjab); and Lieut. J. Bryant (R.E.).

Following civil servants also left by the Bremen:—Inspectors G. Cockle, T. Murphy, D. Barnett, and A. Moody; Sergeant Kirkby, Wilson, Shannon, Doring, Chevalier, and Cotton; Inspector and Mrs. Fox; Inspector and Mrs. Gibson; Inspector S. Kelly; Mr. and Mrs. T. Hynes and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. Calvert and family; Mr. and Mrs. Grimmett and family; Mr. J. H. Kynoch; Mr. and Mrs. Jones, and Mr. J. Ewing.

Inspector Cockle is in charge of the Government invalids.

The Bremen's port of disembarkation is Tilbury which, it is expected, will be reached about the 20th February.

PAPER SCARCITY.

Owing to the enormously increased cost of paper and printing the Vienna Academy of Sciences, which some time ago was compelled to discontinue the publication of the theses of the natural history class, has just decided also to cease publishing the philosophy and history theses.

## TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

Recounting a personal reminiscence at a lecture in Edinburgh recently, Lord Sands said that he was once invited to address an Ayrshire literary society, and chose as his subject "Shakespeare." He was informed by the Parish minister that a Bailie would move a vote of thanks. The Bailie, he said, was a plain blunt man, but on two recent occasions had made a most successful appearance as a speaker. One occasion was as a spokesman of a deputation to the minister and his wife on the occasion of the minister's jubilee, and the other was at a curling club dinner, when he proposed the Laird's health. During the lecture the Bailie dozed, but awoke in time to make his speech. "This William Shakespeare," he started, "was a very remarkable man and an eminent poet. Not that I was compare him wi' oor ain Robbie Burns. This Shakespeare wrote 'Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown. No, Rob wal never mak sic a mistake as that. He kent well enough that Kings and Queens dinna gang to bed wi' their crowns on."

Lord Sands also recalled the time when the average man of the middle classes was not required to raise his voice in public except on the occasion of his marriage when he replied to the toast of himself and his bride, and it was regarded as a terrible ordeal. It usually ran something as follows:—Ladies and gentlemen—Uncles—unaccustomed—unaccustomed as I am to public speaking—I—I wish

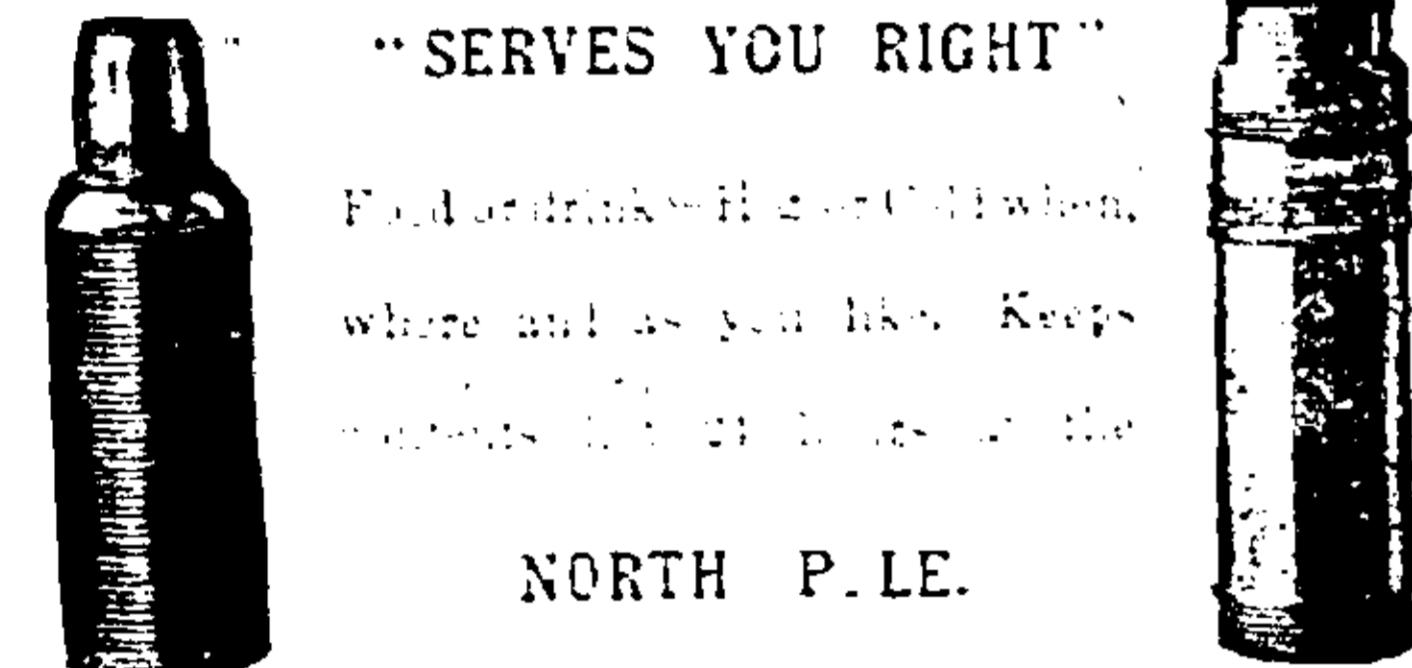
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## SPIRITUALISM.

## Chat with American Lady.

Passing through the Colony this week was Mrs. J. A. Kaufmann, the wife of the "steel king" of New York. Mrs. Kaufmann is a spiritualist well known in the States, and is said to be the founder of a new cult of spiritualism. We availed ourselves of the opportunity of having an informal chat with the lady on the theories expounded by her.

"Interviews always remind me," she remarked, "of something very distasteful. They often lead to misunderstanding, they create distrust of public opinion."

"What, in your opinion is spiritualism?" asked our representative.

"It is the joyous resurrection of one's spirit after it has ceased to be a tenant in the house of flesh. Unfortunately, the step that has been taken in bringing forth the truth of the higher intelligence is not given in the ABC of spiritualism. One finds oneself perplexed with imaginary and all sorts of mortal ideas awakening in one's mind with spooky and dark-cutaneous effects. It grieves me beyond expression when I come in contact with people seeking in this manner the light of this great truth. Their ideas and what they expect are absurd, neither I nor any other mortal—let me be most emphatic on this point—can call a deceased loved-one to appear upon the scene. No, no my dear friend, the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, three definite people in one—the oneness in one—is the beginning of the first step to the great truth."

"I do not quite understand you here," interrupted the interviewer.

"Impressions and symbols are given to the medium, and nothing more. The I am within you is God, and until you realize fully all that you do and the accomplishments you master in Him, your spirit is in the mortal state of space. This school that you are attending to-day is merely a preparatory one. There is the beautiful thought from God—to prepare yourself for the first step to the house of many mansions."

"How does your theory of spiritualism differ from that of Sir Oliver Lodge?"

"That is a very wonderful question that you have asked me. Is it not funny that you should ask me a question that has been

put to me so often by others? Having had the pleasure of hearing Sir Oliver Lodge on his recent trip to the United States, in New York and Los Angeles, I must say earnestly every moment was most deeply enjoyed by myself, but the spiritual delivery was over the heads of many, due to the fact that the fundamental basis of spiritualism was not given as I have already stated. His language was so eloquent and the delivery of such a high order that it went a little over the heads of the average person. The child has first to be taught to creep and then walk; likewise with the adult. Concentration is the keynote of my theory, concentration alone in the silence of God. Then it is there where your first spiritual enlightenment takes place. The constancy of each day's meditation of ten to fifteen minutes in the morning must be observed. In the rapid transit speed of life there is no time for spiritual development or anything else, except material gain."

"What do you really mean by spiritual development?"

"It is the law of concentration within yourself—to know yourself and the development of the powers that lie latent in you."

"What connection is there between spiritualism and spiritual development?"

"The law of concentration brings you to the world of spheres, and through that concentration comes the spiritual enlightenment, which I have already stated. The material manifestations such as rapping and tapping and table raising, etc. are not a gain. They are purely manifestations of earth-bound conditions."

"Do you resort to such practices?" enquired our representative.

"At no time in my life have I done so. I will not permit of a spirit being disturbed for my curiosity. It is an infringement

of the law of God. I am sure that those who hold seances will certainly pay a severe penalty in the end."

Asked as to what brought her to the Far East and Hongkong, Mrs. Kaufmann said:—"I have been five months in the Orient, investigating spiritualism in China. The country is still in the dark ages. China does not bear, and her students, unfortunately, will not teach their ignorant brothers. Surely the British need praises and blessing for the work they have done in Hongkong. I have been struck remarkably by the good work accomplished in this British Colony."

## FOOTBALL.

## To-morrow's Matches.

The following is the programme of matches arranged for to-morrow:

## DIVISION I.

H.M.S. Titania v. S.C.A.—Navy "A" ground, 4 p.m.  
H.M.S. Tamar v. H.M.S. Ambrose.—S.C.A. ground, 4 p.m.  
Wiltshires v. Kowloon—Sokunpo ground, 4 p.m.  
Hongkong Police v. R.G.A.—Navy "B" ground, 4 p.m.

## DIVISION II.

Kowloon Reserves v. United—Club ground, 2.30 p.m.  
S. C. A. Reserves v. Club de Recreio.—S. C. A. ground, 2.30 p.m.

Indian Rec. Club v. H. M. S. Carlisle Res.—Navy "B" ground, 2.30 p.m.

H. K. Club Reserves v. Oilers United—Navy "A" ground 2.30 p.m.

R. G. A. Reserves v. Punjabis—Sokunpo ground, 2.30 p.m.  
St. Joseph's College v. Staffs and Depts.—St. Joseph's ground 4 p.m.

The Titania, having been admitted to the League in place of the Carlisle will open their fixtures with the S.C.A. on the Navy ground. The tall sailors have a very good reputation in the football world. They will have to show great form if they expect to beat the Chinese, who are playing excellent football just now.

The game between the two Navy teams on the S.C.A. ground will be an easy win for the Tamar. They have got one very good man recently arrived, while the Ambrose has been weakened by some of their men leaving the Colony to-day. The Ambrose team of late has been very uncertain, and no little difficulty has been experienced in turning out a team. This is very much regretted in local football because this ship could field a team second to none.

The Wiltshire receive Kowloon at Sokunpo and on present form the soldiers should win easily if they put out their full team, while the civilians will be strangers on the Sokunpo ground, where they pay their first visit to-morrow. The last meeting of these teams ended in a draw of one all, but the soldiers have greatly improved since that match. Kowloon are turning out some new men for this match and a good game is expected.

The Police are at home to the R.G.A., who have struck a bad patch lately, having obtained only two points in the last four matches. A similar record has been obtained by the Police. The soldiers should win, although the Police will be out to avenge their defeat at the hands of the gunners in their previous meeting.

It is rumoured that the Police have some new blood in the batch of recruits that arrived by the Bremen, but they still lack the services of their old goalkeeper, Swann.

In the Junior Division, the Club Reserves and Oilers match, which had been fixed for the Club ground at 4 p.m., has been transferred to the Navy "A" ground at 2.30 p.m., as the second Rugby match of the Challenge Cup Competition is due on the Club ground at 4 p.m. The Reserves should win this match.

A good game should be seen between St. Joseph's and the staffs, on the Saints ground. The College boys are playing well, but they will be against a fairly heavy team this week and the staffs should hold their own and put a check on the College team, who have not dropped a point since their first match with the R.G.A. Reserves.

Another good game should be seen on the Club ground at 2.30 between Kowloon and United, where the United should win.

The Carlisle Reserves should beat the Indian Rec. Club, as the new crew have dropped from the 1st Division of the League and with all the crew to pick from a very strong side should turn out.

The R.G.A. Reserves and S.C.A. Reserves should win against the Punjabis and Club de Recreio respectively.

QUIZ.

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## UNITED SERVICES LEAGUE.

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Goals

P. W. L. D. S. G. A.	9	6	12	18	15	14
Tamar	9	6	12	18	15	14
Hawkins	8	5	6	21	7	13
Ambrose	11	3	6	2	11	20
Wiltshires	7	3	3	1	16	9
Carlisle	6	2	2	5	6	6
R.G.A.	8	2	3	1	9	13
Curlew	7	1	3	1	7	17

TEAMS.

The following will represent the Club 2nd XI against the Oilers United.—G. Gross, J. Goldsmith, A. Boysen, A. McDonald, W. Ireland, S. Sorensen, G. Goldenberg, E. Ballton J. Beggs, J. P. Sherry, A. Ozilie.

The following will represent the United against Kowloon.—W. McLeod, J. Beach, D. D. Urquhart, A. E. Simons, D. Laing, C. H. Blake, J. Kent, J. Leonard, C. T. May, R. K. Valentine, A. N. Other.

Kowloon's First Division team will be:—W. Crocker, F. Wheeler, T. L. Knight, J. Coopland, A. Weyman, P. Bresley, W. Taylor, C. E. Millard, B. Pasco, R. E. Townsend, F. Evelyn, Reserve G. White.

Kowloon's Second Division team will be:—H. McKee, S. H. Heaver, S. Adams, J. Main, H. Roberts, A. Martin, E. Donovan, A. Palmer, K. A. Mason, A. Estorff, H. Blythe, Reserves—E. W. Alderson.

## RIFLE LEAGUE.

## Ambrose v. Alacrity.

The following is the result of a shooting match between the H.M.S. Ambrose and H.M.S. Alacrity, fired at: Stonecutters Range on Sunday, January 9th, resulting in a win for H.M.S. Ambrose.

H.M.S. "AMBROSE"

S. P. O. Walsh	124
Mr. F. H. Jarvis	121
E. R. A. Tooker	129
S. P. O. Chilcott	111
Sgt. Peberdy	107
Ldg. St. Newton	81
E. A. Ellis	75
P. O. Knight	75
Total	817

H.M.S. "ALACRITY"

A. B. Hewlett	110
Sgt. Jeris	109
Pte. Seymour	102
P. O. Goss	99
P. C. P. O. Seaward	95
P. O. Silcox	93
A. B. Darre	75
Pte. Mills	75
Total	767

The Club v. will be:—H. S. House, G. A. V. Hall, J. W. Alabaster, A. M. D. Wallace and D. Logan; J. W. Brown and V. G. Smyth; G. G. N. Tinson, N. C. Macnamara, A. T. Lamplugh, N. A. Harper, H. G. Baxter, J. S. McCann, C. J. Cooper and J. Ralston (Capt.).

The Club v. will play in colours.

## BILLIARDS.

## Garrison Inter-Mess League.

The table up to and including January 8th is as follows:

Games

P. W. L. D. S. G. A.	14	10	0	4	6	24
P. O's	14	10	0	4	6	24
R. G. A.	12	11	0	1	5	23
Garrison M.	13	7	3	3	44	34
Wilt Scts	12	7	3	2	44	28
R.G.A. Stonecutters	12	7	3	2	44	28
H.K. Police	13	5	3	5	40	38
Warders M.	12	5	6	1	34	38
R. E.'s	13	3	8	2	31	47
R. G. A.	12	3	8	1	28	44
Lyemun	12	3	8	1	28	44
R.A.M.C.	13	1	11	16	62	3

The Carlisle Reserves should beat the Indian Rec. Club, as the new crew have dropped from the 1st Division of the League and with all the crew to pick from a very strong side should turn out.

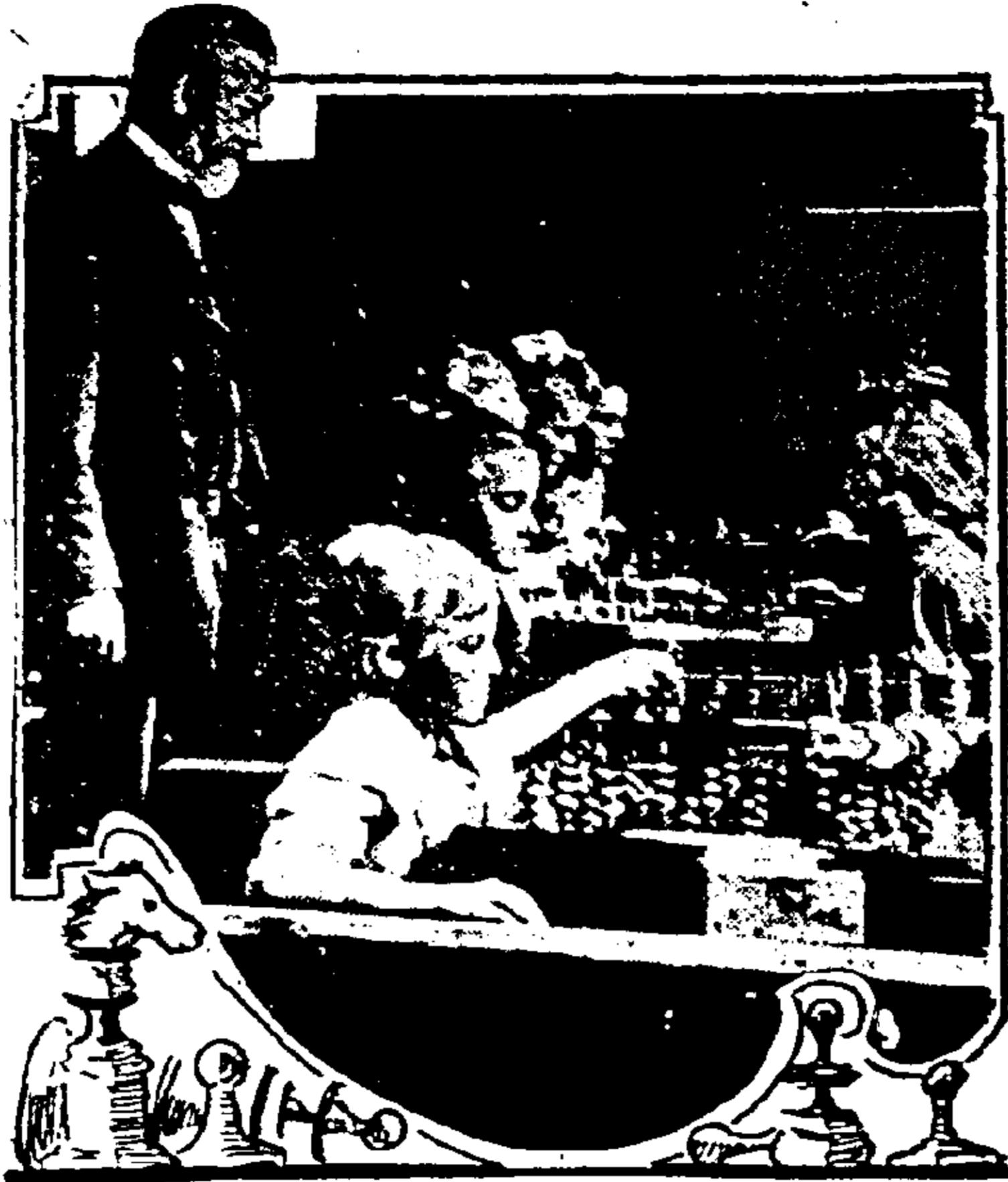
The R.G.A. Reserves and S.C.A. Reserves should win

# CAMERA NEWS



AMERICAN LADY HOCKEY TEAM IN ENGLAND.

The American ladies team of hockey played their first match in England at Wimbledon, when they faced the Surrey team. Photo shows five members of the American team photographed before the match. The Americans lost.



CHESS TAUGHT IN SCHOOL.

Not only is chess a popular recreation in Germany, but it is part of the German youth's education and a compulsory subject in schools. The photograph shows the chess schoolroom of a big German school.



INVENTOR OF GERMAN COMBAT PLANES.

Anthony H. G. Fokker and his wife. Fokker is the inventor of the combat planes used by Germany, the type which was most feared by the Allied aviators. The young inventor has moved his manufacturing plant to Holland since the war.



IRISH SHAM FIGHT.

Members of the Royal Irish Constabulary engaging in a practice battle on a road near Dublin.



VISITS U.S. CAPITAL.

Vice Admiral Sir William Pakenham, commanding-in-chief of the British North Atlantic Station and the West Indies Station, who has been visiting Washington.



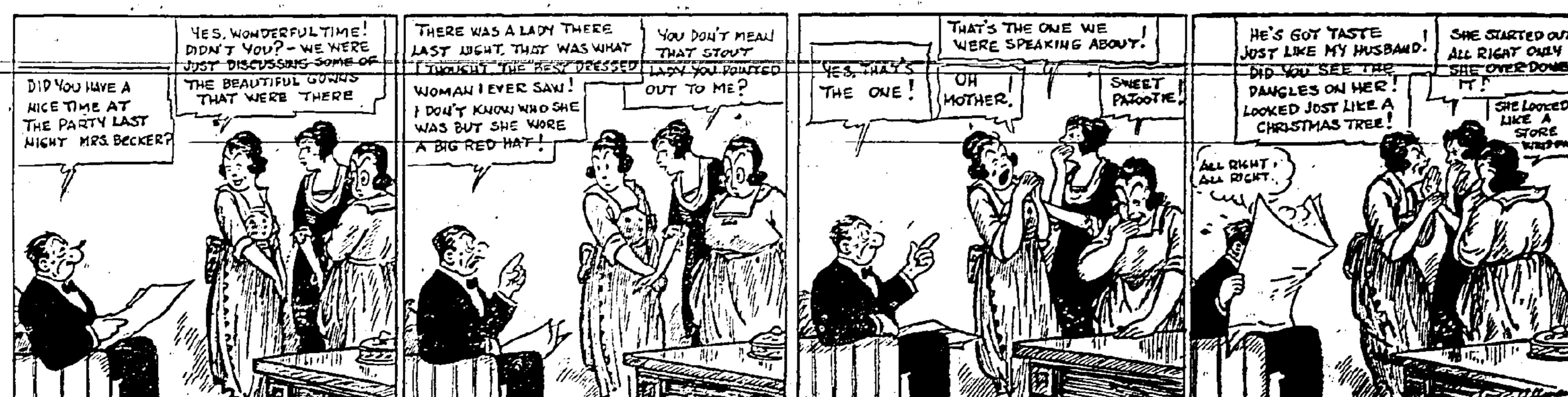
TO HAUL DOWN BRITISH FLAG.

Leaving St. Patrick's cathedral, New York, after attending a memorial mass in honour of MacSwiney's memory, hundreds of Irish sympathizers mobbed the Union club on Fifth Avenue, when officials of the club refused to take down a British flag. All the street-level windows in the club were broken. The Police fought an hour to disperse the mob.

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DUNERA	5,400	10th Feb.	S. P. Colombo & B. Bay

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SHIZUOKA MARU ..... Monday, 24th Jan. at 11 a.m.

KAGA MARU ..... Friday, 4th Feb. at 11 a.m.

HAMBURG, LONDON &amp; ROTTERDAM via Suez.

TSURUGA MARU ..... Thursday, 13th Jan. at 11 a.m.

LIVERPOOL &amp; MARSEILLES via Suez.

SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE via Manila, Zamboanga, Thursday

Island, Townsville &amp; Brisbane.

NIKKO MARU ..... Tuesday, 18th Jan. at 11 a.m.

AKI MARU ..... Tuesday, 15th Feb. at 11 a.m.

NEW YORK via Suez.

SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS via Cape.

BOMBAY &amp; COLOMBO via Singapore.

KAWACHI MARU ..... Wednesday, 25th January.

CALCUTTA &amp; RANGOON via Singapore &amp; Penang.

SANUKI MARU ..... Thursday, 3rd February.

JAPAN PORTS—Nagasaki, Kobe &amp; Yokohama.

AKI MARU ..... Tuesday, 18th Jan. at 11 a.m.

SHANGHAI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA

TOKOMI MARU ..... Tuesday, 18th January.

KUMANO MARU (Moto direct) Tuesday, 19th January.

TAMBA MARU ..... Friday, 21st January, at 11 a.m.

CAP FINISTERRE (Yokohama direct) Sat. 22nd Jan.

HOMBOY MARU ..... Friday, 28th January.

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## VESSELS ARRIVED.

The DEVAWONGSEE arrived this morning from Saigon with 1,800 tons of rice.—Mooring C 15.

The RHESUS from Shanghai brought this morning 6,800 tons of through cargo.—Mooring A 2.

The Blue Funnel liner LYCAON came in yesterday from Liverpool with 980 tons for Hongkong and 5,370 tons for other ports.—Mooring Holt's wharf.

The ss. VAN WAERYICK from Belawan-Deli brought this morning 550 tons of general merchandise and 590 deck passengers.—Mooring Kowlon wharf.

Coal consigned here by the O.S.K.'s AMAKUSA M. (1,100 tons) from Keelung and by the M.B.K.'s TARIN M. (2,520 tons) from Nagasaki and Keelung.

## CLEARANCES AND DEPARTURES.

The SINGAN left for Holo yesterday at 4 p.m. with 1,600 tons.

The BREMEN left for London via Singapore at noon-to-day with 320 European passengers and Government Stores.

The ARIZONA M. left at noon to-day for Tacoma with 800 tons.

The YUENSANG departed for Manila at 3 p.m. with 1,700 tons.

The HONG SANG left for Penang at 3 p.m. with 2,000 tons.

## PASSENGERS DEPARTED.

Per s.s. TENYO MARU.—

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Per R.M.S. Empress of Asia.—

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## INWARD MAILS.

Shanghai—Per KANSU, 16th Jan.

Japan, Shanghai and Manila—Per KASHIMA M. 16th Jan.

Straits and Calcutta—Per TOTO M. 17th Jan.

Australia and Manila—Per AKI M. 17th Jan.

Straits—Per KUMANO M. 17th Jan.

## OUTWARD MAILS.

To-morrow.

Shanghai & North China—Per SLAVIC PRINCE 8 a.m.

Straits and Bangkok—Per ALASKA M. 5 p.m.

Swatow, Straits & Bangkok—Per LINAN, 5 p.m.

Swatow, Shanghai & North China—Per KWONG SANG, 5 p.m.

Shanghai & North China—Per CHENAN, 3 p.m.

Sunday, 16th Jan.

Swatow, Amoy & Takao—Per SOSHU M. 9 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Keelung—Per AMAKUSA M. 9 a.m.

Pakhoi, & Haiphong—Per KAIFONG, 9 a.m.

Monday, 17th Jan.

Swatow, Shanghai & N. China—Per YUSANG, 5 p.m.

Japan, Honolulu and San Francisco—Per KIYO M. 11 a.m.

Philippine Islands, Sandakan, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Is.—Per HWAH FING, Reg. 8.45 a.m.

Letters 8.30 a.m.

Tuesday, 18th Jan.

Swatow—Per HYDRANGEA, 3.30 p.m.

Swatow and Bangkok—Per LUCHOW, 8 a.m.

Amoy, Shanghai & N. China—Per SUIYANG, noon.

Shanghai, & N. China—Per WING SANG, 5 p.m.

Wednesday, 19th Jan.

Swatow, Shanghai and N. China—Per TUNGSHING, 5 p.m.

W. H. Wei, Chefoo & Dairen—Per KWANGSE, 5 p.m.

Hokow & Haiphong—Per LOK SANG, 9 a.m.

Thursday, 20th Jan.

Sandakan—Per HIN SANG, 11 a.m.

Shanghai—Per SINKIANG, 11 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow—Per HAIHONG, 11 a.m.

Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta & Aden—Per LAM SANG, 1 p.m.

Friday 21st Jan.

Shanghai & N. China—Per KWAI SANG, 5 p.m.

Saturday, 22nd Jan.

Strata, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, S. Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Bombay, Aden, Egypt & Europe via Marseilles—

Per M. ASSI, Reg. 5 p.m.

Letters 5 p.m.

The Parcel Mail will be closed on Saturday, 22nd Jan. at noon.

Sunday, 23rd Jan.

Swatow, Amoy & Foochow—Per HAILOONG, 9 a.m.

Correspondence bearing vessels' name only.

## TOKYO MAYORALTY.

It has been decided that Baron Goto, the new Mayor of Tokyo, shall get a yearly salary of Y25,000. Viscount Tajiri, the former Mayor, drew an annual salary of Y15,000. Baron Goto, attending the Tokyo Municipal Assembly for the first time, made a formal address concerning his assumption of the Mayoralty. He expressed himself fully cognizant of the grave difficulties in the way of the proper discharge of the onerous duties which he has just taken up, and consequently of the heavy responsibility attaching to his post and himself. His address was received with cheers, and the election of the Deputy Mayor was then proceeded with. Messrs. Carnot, Mr. F. B. Stork, Hazara Singh, Ishor Singh, Maya Singh and Asra Singh.

## EXCHANGE.

Opening Rate, closing Rate on Page 11.

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